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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
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12 Plaintiff,
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14 v.
15 CEDAR SKY MONTGOMERY,
16 Defendant.

CASE NO. 2:24-CR-00041-DAD

ORDER SEALING EXHIBITS 4 AND 6 AS SET
FORTH IN GOVERNMENT'S NOTICE

17 Pursuant to Local Rule 141(b) and based upon the representation contained in the Government's
18 Request to Seal, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Exhibits 4 and 6 of the Government's Response to
19 Defendant's Motion re: Mental Competency shall be SEALED until further order of this Court.

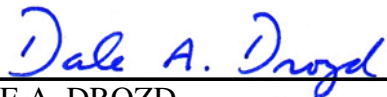
20 It is further ordered that electronic access to the sealed documents shall be limited to the United
21 States and counsel for the defendant, Cedar Sky Montgomery. The Court has considered the factors set
22 forth in *Oregonian Publishing Co. v. U.S. District Court for the District of Oregon*, 920 F.2d 1462 (9th
23 Cir. 1990). The Court finds that, for the reasons stated in the Government's request, sealing the
24 Government's motion serves a compelling interest: not disclosing all the details contained in the
25 defendant's 2020 competency documents, which contain information relating to the defendant's physical
26 and mental health to the public. The Court further finds that, in the absence of closure, the compelling
27 interest identified by the government would be harmed. In light of the public filing of its request to seal,

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1 the Court further finds that there are no additional alternatives to sealing the government's motion that
2 would adequately protect the compelling interests identified by the government.

3 IT IS SO ORDERED.

4 Dated: August 19, 2024



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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE